

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/700,292  
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Applicant: Phillip M. Gibbs  
Group Art Unit: 3775  
Examiner: Anuradha Ramana  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACETABULAR  
RECONSTRUCTION  
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**AMENDMENT AS A SUBMISSION WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2008, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this paper.